

**Proposals for Stationery and Printing.**  
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DEPARTMENT OF STATE,  
Washington, May 19, 1951.

IN pursuance of the act legalizing and making appropriations for such necessary objects as have been usually included in the general appropriation bill without authority of law, and to fix and provide for certain incidental expenses of the departments and offices of the government, and for other purposes," approved the 26th of August, 1911, separate sealed proposals will be received at this department until the 31st of July, next, for the purchase of the following classes of stationery enumerated in each of the subjoined schedules, Nos. 1, 2, and 3, as may be required by it for one year from the 1st of July, next, and the person or persons proposing that the department is to be at liberty to take either

*Each article to be of the best quality, and to be delivered without delay when ordered.*

**SCHEDULE NO. 1.**

*Writing paper, hand-made, of linen, laid.*

50 reams foolscap, satin or plain finish, to be, when trimmed,  
13½ by 16 inches, and weigh not less than 16 lbs. per  
ream, per ream

20 reams note paper, similar finish, plain and gilt, per ream.

SCHEDULE NO. 2.

*Envelope paper, smooth.*

29	reams super-royal, yellow,	per ream.
10	do medium, yellow or buff,	per ream
10	do do white	do
10	do double cap, white	do
5	do blotting paper, royal	do
50	do brown wrapping, super-royal,	per ream.

SCHEDULE NO. 3.

25 cards metallic pens, per dozen cards, or in boxes, per gross.

(Perry's, or such as may be required)		
3,000	quills, 50's,	per 1,000
3	gross black-lead pencils, Monroe's or Faber's,	per gross
1	dozen red-lead pencils, 10's,	do
2	do ivory folders, 9-inch,	per dozen
5	do red tape, No. 21	do
5	do do	19
5	do do	17
5	do do	15
3	do silk taste, narrow,	do
3	do do	wide
1	do erasers, Rogers & Son's ivory handle,	per dozen

3	do	pennknives, Rodgers & Son's 4-blades	do
2	do	ink, in quarts, black, Maynard & Noyes	do
1	do	pound wafers, red, per lb.	do
100	do	U. S. seal wafers, per 100	do
500	do	for department seal	do
50	do	pounds sealing wax, best extra superfine, scarlet, per lb.	do
50	do	sealing-wax, best superfine	do
2	do	India rubber, prepared	do
3	do	twine, gilt net	do
30	do	seine, do	do
10	do	do coarse, for packing	do

Each proposal is to be signed by the individual firm making it, and to specify price, and best price, for each and every article contained in the schedule. Should the schedule be not enumerated, they are to be furnished at the lowest market prices, according to quality. Blank forms for proposals will be furnished at the department to persons applying for them; and as without uniformity therein the department would find it difficult to make a decision, none will be taken into consideration unless substantially signed.

The proposals to be addressed to the "Department of State," and endorsed "Proposals for Stationery." Notice will be given to the person to whom the contract is awarded, who will be required,

within five days thereafter, to give bond, with two sufficient sureties, for its performance.

The heretofore the department is in all cases to decide whether the terms of the contract have been complied with, and to reject any article which may be, in his opinion, of inferior quality, as well as to annul the contract upon any failure to comply with the terms within a reasonable time.

Proposals will also be received during the same period, and subject to the same conditions, for the execution of such job-printing as may be required by the department for one year from the 1st day of July next, consisting of—

*Blank for writing name*

Demy size, broadside,	per quire	
Do half sheet,	do	
Folio post, broadside,	do	
Do one page,	do	
Foolscap, broadside,	do	
Do one page,	do	
Quarto post do	do	

*Circulars and Treatises on foolscap writing paper.*

One page on sheet, printed,	per quire	
Two do do do	do	do

Three	do	do	do
Four	do	do	do

*Circulars and Treatises on quarto-post writing paper.*

One page on a sheet, printed, per quire			
Two	do	do	do
Three	do	do	do
Four	do	do	do

The paper for the above to be of the best quality.

*Book-work on printing paper.*

For composition per thousand ems, for small pica
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Do                      do                      brevior  
For presswork and paper, per token, for royal  
do                      do                      medium  
Proposals will also be received, during the same period, for  
printing, on paper of the best quality, and binding, in blue morocco,  
in the best manner, 500 copies of the Biennial Register, of the 30th  
September, 1851.  
The proposals to state the price per page for the 500 copies, and  
the price per copy for binding.  
May 21.—law1w

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By the President of the United States.

In pursuance of my, I, MILLARD FILLMORE, President of the United States of America, do hereby declare and make known that public sales will be held at the undermentioned land offices in the State of Iowa at the periods hereinafter designated, to wit :  
At the land office at IOWA CITY, commencing on Monday, the first day of January, 1854, for the disposal of the public lands situated in the following-named townships, viz :  
*North of the base line and west of the fifth principal meridian.*  
Township seventy-nine, of range twenty-nine.  
Township seventy-eight, and eighty, of range thirty.  
Township seventy-nine and eighty, of range thirty-one.

Townships seventy-nine, eighty, and eighty-one, of range thirty-two.  
Township eighty-one, of range thirty-three.  
At the land office at FAIRFIELD, commencing on Monday, the fifteenth day of September next, for the disposal of the public lands within the aforementioned townships, to wit:

*North of the base line and west of the fifth principal meridian.*  
Township seventy, of range thirty.  
Township seventy, of range thirty-two.  
Township seventy, of range thirty-three.  
At the land office at DURBUQUE, on Monday, the eighteenth day

On August next, for the disposal of the following tracts, to wit:

A small island in sections seventeen and eighteen, in township eighty-two north, in range one east, and the southeast quarter of section twenty-seven, in township ninety-six north, of range nine, west of the sixth principal meridian.

Land appropriated by law for the use of schools, military and other purposes, together with "those swamp and overflowed lands made unfit thereby for cultivation," if any, which shall be selected by the State authorities before the days appointed for the commencement of the public sales respectively, under the entitled "An act to enable the State of Indiana to acquire the State lands within their limits," approved September 18th, 1850.

*will be excluded from the sales. And no locations for land bounties heretofore granted by any law of Congress for military services rendered to the United States will be permitted on any of the above-mentioned lands, as provided by the act entitled "An act making appropriations for the fiscal year 1854, for diplomatic expenses of government," and approved for March 3, 1854.*

*The offering of the lands will be commenced on the days appointed, and proceed in the order in which they are advertised with all convenient despatch, until the whole shall have been offered, and the sales thus closed; but no sale shall be kept open longer than two weeks, and no private entry of any of the lands will be admitted.*

Given under my hand at the city of Washington this sixth day of  
May, anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and fifty-one.  
MILLARD FILLMORE.

By the President :  
J. BUTTERFIELD,  
Commissioner of the General Land Office.

NOTICE TO PRE-EMPTION CLAIMANTS.

Every person entitled to the right of pre-emption to any of the lands  
within the townships and parts of townships above enumerated is  
required to establish the same to the satisfaction of the register and

receiver of the prior land office, and make payment therefor as soon as practicable after seeing this notice, and before the day appointed for the commencement of the public sale of the lands embracing the tract claimed; otherwise, such claim will be forfeited.

J. BUTTERFIELD,  
Commissioner of the General Land Office.

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**JUST RECEIVED**—3 boxes of Alexander's best kid gloves—assorted sizes and colors.  
Also, 1 carton of fine thread bobbin edge, and a large lot quilted ribbon, all colors.

May 13—34

J. H. & A. TATE,  
Penn. avenue, between 10th and 11th sts.

**THE London Art Journal** for May, containing illustrated catalogue of the Exhibition of the Industry of all Nations.

The Gold Worshipers; or, The Days We Live In; by the author of Whitefishes.

The Harmony of Prophecy; by the Rev. Doct. Keith.

This day received, for sale by  
TAYLOR & MAURY,  
Booksellers, near 9th street.

May 34

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